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I. AMENDMENT; AND II. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 12, 2008

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Commissioner:

Applicants herein submit this Amendment in response to the Office Action dated February 12, 2008, for which the date for response was May 12, 2008.

A request for a one-month extension of time to respond is being filed concurrently herewith, which brings the deadline to June 12, 2008. The required fee for the one-month extension of time is being charged to a credit card through EFS-Web concurrently with this submission. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any underpayment of fees or any

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